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MESSAGE/COMMENTS

Attached herewith is an Amendment Transmittal,
Amendment, Four Sheets of Drawings and Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.131
submitted for the above-identified application.

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Serial No. : 10/820,317 Examiner: Timothy Lewis Moust
Filed : April 8, 2004
For : CONTROL OF A/L RATIOS IN VACUUM ASSIST VAPOR RECOVERY
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. X Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action.
2. Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
Enclosed is a verified statement to establish Small Entity status
- X Other than a Small Entity

3. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Extra	Present Rate	Fee	Present Rate	Fee
TOTAL	18	MINUS	20	0	x \$25	\$0	x \$50	\$0
INDEP.	5	MINUS	3	2	x \$100	\$0	x \$200	\$400
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+\$180	\$0	+\$360	\$0
TOTALS					TOTAL FEE	\$0	TOTAL FEE	\$400

X Additional fee for claims is required.

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4. X Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3000 in the amount of \$ 400.00.

5. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply.

Complete (a) or (b) as applicable.

(a) X Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<u>X</u> one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00
two months	\$ 450.00	\$225.00
three months	\$1020.00	\$510.00
four months	\$1590.00	\$795.00
five months	\$2160.00	\$1080.00

Extension fee due with this request \$ 120.00.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

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OR

(b) _____ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

6. X If any additional fee for claims or extension of time is required, charge Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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